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CHIFFON HATS.

The latest novelties in tucked chiffon and plaited ribbon effects; usually \$2.49, \$2.98 and \$3.49; for Saturday only, at

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A variety of charming styles, in black, white and colors, requiring simply a bow of ribbon or a bunch of flowers to complete them. Inexpensive, but very effective.

RIBBONS.

Double-faced Satin Liberty, 4 1/2 in. wide—black, white, light blue, pink, lavender, cardinal and navy blue; value, 29c., at, per yard,

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Bows made free of charge.

FLOWERS.

Exquisite bunches, large and handsome—roses, violets, geraniums and foliage; worth 39c.; per bunch,

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OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS.

LOW ON BENCH; STUDIES CRIME.

by the Mayor Goes to Special Sessions and Hears Reports on the Lives of Prisoners Who are Out on Parole.

HE LIKES THE SYSTEM.

Mayor Low sat on the bench of the Court of Special Sessions today with Justices Olmsted, McKean and Holbrook, and listened earnestly to the score or more of petty cases tried.

The Mayor was accompanied by his secretary, James B. Reynolds. He was especially interested in hearing the reports made by the probation officers of court, Miss Ada C. Elliott, David Willard and Joseph C. Graver.

More than seventy-five cases were reported upon by the probation officers. In nearly all of them good reports were made, showing that the paroled prisoners were leading honest, respectable lives. Nearly all of the cases reported on were those of youths under the age of seventeen.

Mayor Low asked Miss Elliott and Mr. Willard many questions concerning the working of the probation system, and was very much surprised to ascertain that the work was done by the probation officers without pay by the City of New York. He was told that the City of New York was the only city in the world that did this.

In one year, Mr. Graver told the Mayor, 65 prisoners had been paroled in the custody of the officers. More than 75 per cent of this number are now leading good lives and are employed. There are now 175 prisoners under parole, nearly all of whom, the officers report, are keeping in the straight path.

Desires listening to the report of the Probation Officer, Mayor Low heard James J. Walsh, counsel for the Liquor Dealers' Association, enter pleas of not guilty for fifty saloon-keepers, who are accused of violating the Raffles law. He refused to comment on any of the cases.

Although District Attorney Jerome was in his office, two floors above the Special Sessions court-room, he did not go into court to greet the City Executive. As far as can be learned Mayor Low has no figure with Jerome.

BURIAL OF E. E. ANDERSON.

Large Gathering of Prominent Men Pay Tribute of Respect.

There was a large gathering of prominent members of the bar and reform politicians at the funeral service of the late Mayor E. Ellery Anderson, which was held today by Rev. George C. Houghton at the Church of the Transfiguration, in East Twenty-ninth street.

The obsequies were simple and in accordance with the ritual of the Protestant Episcopal Church. The chief mourners were the widow and the two sons, E. Cheever and Harry J. Anderson.

The honorary pallbearers were Justice Patterson, of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court; Justice Francis M. Scott, of the Supreme Court; ex-Judge John P. Dillon, Francis K. Pendleton, Louis Henry, Henry de Coppel, Horace Barry, William G. Choate, Joseph LaRousse and Edward Mitchell.

The interment was in the family vault at Woodlawn, the remains going to the city by special train from the Grand Central Station.

Corsets.

All the popular makes of Straight Front Corsets, Low Bust and Hip, R. & G. W. E. C. B. & Co. 100, N. 10th St., New York, N. Y. all at

1.00

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Corsets.

The New Corset, Straight Front, Bias Cut, Dip Hip, with Garters attached, size 8 to 14, made to order, at \$2.75, special

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Record Breaking Prices on Clothing.



Men's \$2 & \$3 Trousers, \$1.00

Marked.....

On Sale Saturday from 9 to 10 o'clock.

500 pairs of Men's very good business TROUSERS in fancies and plain blacks, ranging in size from 32 to 50 waist, real \$2.00 and \$3.00 values, and just for one hour we will sell them at.... **\$1.00**

\$5.75 for Choice of What's Left of Our Men's \$10 and \$12 Suit and Overcoat Stock.

Amongst them hundreds of Fall Suits and Overcoats that have sold from \$10.00 to \$12.00.

Every Fall and Winter Suit and Overcoat Has Marching Orders.

This is the final call and the most sensational price we ever quoted on such sterling values. We are simply forced to get rid of them. Suits of Every Description—Overcoats to please all. To-morrow is a Sale of all Sales. Every Man's Winter Suit or Overcoat in the house that sold at \$10.00 or \$12.00 for.... **5.75**

Sale of Young Men's Suits.

\$3.00 for Young Men's Suits. **\$5.75** for Young Men's Suits.

Worth \$5.00 to \$7.50 Each.

Broken sizes mostly—all in a big group. Sizes 14, 15 and 16 years only. Winter weights. Excellent materials. Well cut and well made. Find your size and you've got a \$5.00 or \$7.50 suit for.... **3.00**

Worth \$10.00 to \$12.50 Each.

A beautiful assortment of stylish FALL SUITS, the very best of materials; all sizes from 14 to 20 years; on sale at.... **5.75**

Another Great Shoe Sale.

1.69 for Women's \$2.50 Patent Leather Shoes.

An ideal shoe for dress wear, made of finest patent leather, lace style, light thin soles, dull kid top, high Cuban heel, all sizes 5 to 7, D and E widths, a new and stylish spring last; a swell \$2.50 shoe at.... **1.69**

1.35 for Men's Shoes Worth \$2.00.

This purchase (from M. J. Worthley, of Lynn), consists of Men's finest Satin Calf Lace Shoes, perforated vamp and London cap toe, bulldog last, sizes 6 to 10, at.... **1.35**

1.50 for Women's Shoes worth \$2.50 to \$2.98.

An assortment of the very finest tan, hand turn sole, button and lace Shoes, patent leather, dongola and box calf Shoes, in several styles lace and button; all high class shoes, but the assortment of sizes and widths is broken, although out of the many lots you can select any size and width, all reduced to.... **1.50**

1.69 for Men's Shoes Worth \$2.50.

Choice of fine Patent Leather Lace Shoes, with bright kid tops or the more substantial satin calfskin, London cap toe, bulldog last, for business wear; all sizes, 6 to 10, in both styles; special price.... **1.69**

2.40 for Men's Custom Made Shoes, Worth \$4.00 and \$5.00.

For Saturday Only (4th Floor.) Men's finest Footwear, consisting of patent leather, velour calf, vicid kid, box and wax calf. Every pair custom hand-sewed; uppers and soles of very finest materials; all sizes from 5 to 11, widths from A to E; \$3.50 to \$4.00 values. Saturday only; choice.... **2.40**

Opening Sale of Men's Negligee Shirts.

20,000 dozen in one great purchase—the entire output of a big factory. By taking all we were practically enabled to dictate prices.

Sale begins to-morrow—like this:



At **50c** Men's new Pique and French Percale Negligee Shirts. All properly cut, generous in width and length, finished with hand-made button-holes and felled seams. The patterns and colorings are new and up to date—in fact, you cannot match them under a dollar—here to-morrow for

At **69c** Men's Negligee Shirts, in French and American percales, in plain or plaid fronts—with separate link cuffs to match, in all the new and up-to-date color combinations, the small neat figures and narrow stripe effects—shirts that would sell in most stores for one twenty-five. This is an excellent opportunity to buy a season's supply; sizes 14 to 17. On sale to-morrow at 69c.

WOMAN SLAYER IS SENTENCED TO DIE.

Carmine Gaimari Will Be Put to Death in the Chair Between April 20 and 27.

Carmine Gaimari, of No. 54 Roosevelt street, was sentenced to death by Judge McMahon, in the Court of General Sessions, to-day. He was found guilty of killing Josephine Santa-Pebro, a janitress, who served dispossess papers on him.

There were five eyewitnesses to the shooting, which occurred on Oct. 6 last, and other witnesses had heard the murderer make threats against his victim previous to the shooting.

Gaimari will be put to death during the week beginning April 20.

A Storehouse of Information. "The World Almanac and Encyclopedia" comes with the new year and like the new year is always welcome and greeted with pleasure. It is a storehouse of information that no office or family can afford to do without. The thousand and one little questions that are always arising are answered at once, and conclusively and correctly in "The World Almanac." It is a storehouse of information, and no other book, the dictionary and Lipincott's Gazetteer included. It is a living encyclopedia of living events, and not only tells you what has been, but what is being, it is 25 cents well invested and can be found on all news stands—The Lewiston (Me.) Evening Journal.

FIRE WIPES OUT CITY IN HAYTI.

Port de Paix Completely Destroyed and Only a Few Vessels in the Harbor Saved.

CAPE HAYTIEN, Hayti, Feb. 27.—A despatch received here from Gros Morne to-day announces the complete destruction of Port de Paix, Hayti, by fire.

Port de Paix is a maritime town of Hayti, on the strait between that island and Tortuga Island, thirty-five miles from Cape Haytien and about 100 miles north by west of Port au Prince, the capital. Vessels load and discharge at Port de Paix by means of lighters. It is a bishop's see and has a population of about 9,000.

ABSENT OFFICIAL SILENT.

Honolulu Gets No Word from Territorial Commissioner Taylor. HONOLULU, Feb. 27.—Wray Taylor, the Territorial Commissioner of Agriculture, who left for the Pacific Coast Jan. 3 on the steamer Korea on a month's leave of absence, did not return on the Sierra as expected. He has not been heard from since his departure from Honolulu.

CITY GOLD FOR ALIEN ASTOR.

William Waldorf, Who Became a British Subject, Awarded Nearly Half a Million for Land Here.

IT WAS AN OLD CLAIM.

William Waldorf-Astor, who renounced allegiance to the United States and purchased a palace in England, is to receive \$467,547.50 from the City of New York. This money represents an old claim, the settlement of which has hung over several city administrations.

Land acquired by the city along the North River water front in the neighborhood of Christopher street, which belonged to Waldorf-Astor, caused a controversy over the matter of compensation. Comptroller Stuart, audited the claim recently and allowed the amount which the city will pay.

Another claim of \$45,929.27 is also allowed. Douglas Robinson, trustee of the estate of James Roosevelt Roosevelt, an uncle of the President, it is for land acquired by the city in the neighborhood of the former Astor buildings.

Baby Dies from Burns. Philip Panalson, two years old, of No. 12 Market street, died in the Gouverneur Hospital to-day from burns received in his home Wednesday.

FIERCE STORM SWEEPS ENGLAND.

Vessels Wrecked and Telegraphic Communication Cut Off by Record Gale.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—A gale of almost unprecedented violence swept Great Britain all night long and did considerable damage. Telegraphic communication northward of Leeds was entirely interrupted, the Continental service was interfered with and large numbers of ships were forced to seek shelter in the harbors.

Many minor wrecks occurred, and the lifeboats and rocket apparatuses were busy all along the coasts.

A number of the supports of the suspension bridge over the Lenai Straits, separating the Island of Anglesea from the Welsh coast, were carried away and traffic over the bridge has been stopped.

There were several fatalities inland, caused by falling chimneys and flying debris, and many houses were unroofed. The wind in the North of England blew with cyclonic force. The Lancashire mills and churches suffered greatly. The grand stand of the Lancaster Football Club was lifted bodily and deposited outside the grounds. Scores of shop windows at Liverpool were blown in and the goods scattered about the streets.

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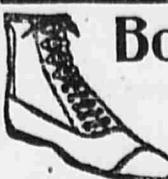
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Satisfaction Guaranteed or Money Promptly Refunded.

To-Morrow We Will Offer More of Those

Unmatchable 4-Hour Specials.

We Do the Greatest Saturday Business in New York—Such Offers as These Make It.



Boys' and Girls' Shoes for Four Hours.

Two great lots to go on sale at 59c. and 69c. per pair. Shoes for Girls—In button and lace styles, kid and dongola leather, toe cap, spring heel; sizes 6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2, at 49c.; sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2 and special, per pair..... **59c**
Shoes for Boys—Lace Shoes in vicid kid and calfskin leathers, regular mannish shapes, with hooks, toe caps and double soles; sizes 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, 10, 10 1/2, 11, 11 1/2, 12, 12 1/2, 13, 13 1/2; special, per pair..... **69c**

Liberty Shoes for Women

always here at this price.

Colonial Ties and Evening Slippers, in dull kid or patent leather, all sizes and widths, Patent Leather Boots or Oxfords, Louis XV. or military heels.



1.98 **LIBERTY** **SHOE** **FOR \$1.98**

2 Shoe Bargains for Men—All Day.

Men's Vicid Kid and Calfskin Shoes, the grade usually sold at \$2.50 per pair, full leather linings, double and triple weight soles, good range of sizes; offered special to-morrow at, per pair..... **1.50**

Men's Leather Slippers, fine soft leather, very comfortable for house wear, in tan or black, open or Everet cut, sizes 6 to 11; special, per pair..... **59c**

Stirring Values for Boys and Men.

Positively From 9 A. M. Till 1 P. M. Only.

Such Offers Distinguish This from Other Stores. No One Equals Them.

Boys' \$2.50 Blouse Suits at \$1.17.



The Best Sailor Suits Ever Offered at the Price. This is a new lot, so don't confuse them with previous offerings. There are 250 Sailor Blouse Suits of very fine chevilles and cassimeres in this lot. Several attractive patterns; all well made, with deep sailor collar, with ten rows of silk soutache, detachable silk-embroidered shields; plaited sleeves and silk neckties; Trousers strongly sewed; sizes 3 to 8; \$2.50 value, for four hours, at..... **1.17**

Men's \$12 Suits at \$6.

Good, solid, well made \$12 values—and one of the best \$12 values offered this season. Fall and early spring weights; strictly all-wool chevilles, cassimeres, meltons and thibets, in plain black and fancy mixtures; regulars and stouts; triple warp Italian lining; silk sewed; hand padded collars and shoulders; 3 or 4 button sacks; 34 to 44, at..... **6.00**



Men's \$2 and \$2.50 Trousers at \$1.25.

955 pairs of Very Fine Trousers for Men will be placed on special tables at this price to-morrow. Worsted, chevilles, and cassimeres in neat stripes and checks, carefully made, suitable for semi-dress wear. Waist bands from 32 to 44; lengths from 26 to 37; regulars, stouts and slims. Special for four hours to-morrow, per pair..... **1.25**

Sensational Offers for Women and Girls.

Positively From 9 A. M. Till 1 P. M. Only.

Values That Speak Their Own Praises—Most Surprising Money Savings.

Women's Winter Coats Worth \$20 at \$5.

250 Rich 45-Inch Coats and 75 Beautiful Short Jackets to Go at this Price. It's natural enough that you should buy winter garments for less than face value at this time of the year. BUT IT IS ONLY AT ROTHENBERG'S THAT YOU CAN GET RICH, STYLISH, EFFECTIVE CREATIONS LIKE THESE AT FROM 1/2 TO 3/4 THEIR ORIGINAL VALUE. Styles that will hold good for next season, and probably eight or ten weeks that you can wear them yet this year. Some of the coats are made from best all-wool tan kersey cloth, handsomely strapped and trimmed with stitched panne velvet; others are made from black montagnac, and very handsomely tailored. All have heavy satin lining. Sizes 32, 34, 36 and 38. ALSO 75 FINE SHORT JACKETS IN THE LOT. All on sale for four hours to-morrow at

Women's \$1.49 Spring Waists at 89c.

Beautiful silk gingham waists, made with six broad plaits in front, turnover pointed stock, tucked back, large puff cuff, and finished with large pearl buttons. Fancy stripes and small dotted effects; colors gray, light blue and rose. Would be cheap at \$1.49; special for four hours to-morrow morning at..... **89c**

\$3.49 Walking Skirts for 4 Hours at \$1.49.

Better think quick about these. They'll be snatched up as fast as we can sell them to-morrow morning at this price. The most popular and desirable materials and styles. The skirts are made from all-wool invisible hairline stripe suitings, with stripes in various widths. Just the right weight for present and early spring wear; tailored in the new flare skirted style; lengths 36 to 41 inches; special for four hours at..... **1.49**

Girls' \$1.79 Sailor Blouse Suits, 79c.

You'll be surprised when you see these suits for girls. Type can't be made to talk half strong enough of the value. Made from woven chambray, with large double sailor collar of white pique or same material as suit; braided trimmed; silk emblem on shield; newest puff cuff; full skirt; colors blue, red, brown and oxblood; sizes 4 to 14; special for four hours..... **79c**

SHED TEARS FOR WIFE, BUT DIED.

Kusoke Wrote Affectionate Sentiments and Then Turned On the Gas in His Room.

George Kusoke, proprietor of the International Cafe and Restaurant, No. 37 West Thirty-eighth street, committed suicide last night in the Delaware Hotel, No. 603 Third avenue, by turning on the gas in his room and closing all the avenues for its escape.

In Kusoke's room were found three cards addressed to his wife, one of which was written in German: "Nobody else can understand why it is so hard to part from this world."

Another card read: "I have shed the warmest tears for you, Julia dear, and I can see more plainly how dearly I loved you as it falls to me, the tremendous burden to part from this world, but it cannot be helped—it must be."

BRITAIN BUYING WARSHIPS?

Said to Have Acquired Two from Argentina and Two from Chili. ROME, Feb. 27.—Great Britain has bought the cruisers Rivadavia and Moreno, building at Genoa for Argentina, the Argentine Minister says. It is reported that Great Britain has also bought the warships Constitution and Liberator, which Armstrong, Vickers & Co. are building for Chile.

CHINESE REBELS KILL 500 TROOPS.

Government Force Going to Relief of Besieged Soldiers Ambushed and Wiped Out.

PEKING, Feb. 27.—Advices received here to-day show that five hundred imperial troops were caught Feb. 16 in an ambush in the Yang-Uing pass by the rebels of the Province of Kwang-Si, South China.

The soldiers were killed and the rebels captured large supplies of arms and ammunition, and were taking to the besieged garrison of Chi-Yuen.

BIG SCHOONER RUNS ASHORE

Life-Savers Go to Rescue of Crew of Four-Master. HYANNIS, Mass., Feb. 27.—A large four-masted schooner, bound west, went ashore on the "Stone Horse," six miles from here, early to-day. Owning to a heavy haze the name of the schooner could not be learned.

The life-savers from Monomoy Point went out to the vessel.

For Consolation Fund, \$4,870. WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—An unknown New York man has sent \$4,870.50 to the consolation fund of the Treasury. It is thought he is some importer and has contributed to the fund.

NOTICE!

The patrons of our Broadway & 13th St. store, which by reason of an unfortunate fire is temporarily closed, will receive the very best attention at either of our other two stores, Broadway & Canal St. and Broadway near Chambers St.

Hackett Carhart & Co.